1	2	3	4
67.	N.R.C. - Camel	Bikaner	824.00
68.	N.R.C. - Yak	Dirang	71.62
69.	N.R.C. - Arid Horticulture	Bikaner	124.58
70.	N.R.C. - Soyabean	Indore	56.70
71.	N.R.C. - Grapes	Pune	44.78
72.	N.R.C. - Groundnut	Junagadh	100.00
73.	N.R.C. - Mushroom	Solan	1.00
74.	N.R.C. - Medicinal & Aromatic Plants	Anand	20.00
75.	N.R.C. - Agro-forestry	Jhansi	86.00
76.	N.R.C. - Sorghum	Hyderabad	29.54
77.	N.R.C. - Citrus	Nagpur	100.00
PROJECT DIRECTORATES			
78.	P.D. - Biological Control	Bangalore	0.86
79.	P.D. - Cropping System Research	Modipuram	50.80
80.	P.D. - Rice	Hyderabad	30.00
81.	P.D. - Maize	New Delhi	included in IARI
82.	P.D. - Oilseed	Hyderabad	58.50
83.	P.D. - Wheat Research	Karnal	38.04
84.	P.D. - Cattle	Meerut	12.14
			17960.18

* NIAG merged with NBAGR.

Setting up of Rice Research Centre in Gujarat

2142. SHRI N.J. RATHWA : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the names of rice producing areas in Gujarat particularly in tribal, backward and hilly areas of the State;

(b) whether the Government have set up or propose to be set up a Rice Research Centre in the State ; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI) : (a) The rice producting hilly tribal areas in Gujarat are located in parts of Chotaudaipur and Balashinor.

(b) The main rice research station under All India Coordinated Rice Improvement Project (ICAR) in Gujarat is located at Nawagaon in Khaira District. The State Government has agricultural research centre located at Vyra, Navasari and Derol.

(c) There is no proposal to set up any more Research Centre in the State.

[English]

Policy on Agriculture

2143. SHRI R. SAMBASIVA RAO : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have received any comprehensive agriculture policy from the Government of Andhra Pradesh which aims at boosting agriculture production and better marketing of farmers produce at a remunerative price ;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the extent to which the Government of Andhra Pradesh has achieved the food production tragets ; and

(d) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI) : (a) and (b) No Comprehensive Agriculture Policy has been received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh.

(c) and (d) The actual production of foodgrains in Andhra Pradesh during 1995-96 is estimated at 11.58 million tonnes against a target of 13.74 million tonnes. A list of Central/ Centrally Sponsored Scheme for the agricultural development under implementation in Andhra Pradesh is given in the attached Statement.

Statement

S. No.	Name of Schemes
1	2
1.	Integrated Cereal Development Programme--Rice.
2.	Sustainable Development of Sugarcane based Cropping System.
3.	Intenstive Cotton Development Programme.
4.	Special Jute Development Programme.
5.	National Pulses Development Project.
6.	Oilseeds Production Programme.
7.	Oil Palm Dev. Programme
8	Maize Programme.
9.	National Watershed Development Project for Rainfed Areas.
10.	Balanced and Integrated use of Fertiliser.
11.	Development of Fertiliser use in Low Consumption & Rainfed Areas.
12.	National Project on Development and use of Bio-fertilisers.
13.	Integrated Seed Development Scheme.
14.	Streamlining of certified Seeds Production of important Identified Vegetable Crops.
15.	N.S.P.III
16.	Grants in Aid to States/UTs for Setting/Strengthening of State Bio-Control laboratories under Integrated Pest Management Centres.
17.	Grants in Aid to States/UTs for Setting/Strengthening of State Bio-Control laboratories under Implementation of Insecticides Act.
18.	Promotion of Agricultural Mechanisation among small Farmers.
19.	Exchange of Farmers within the Country.
20.	Farmers Scientists Interaction.
21.	State Land Use Board.
22.	Soil Conservation in the Catchment of River Valley Projects.
23.	Development of Medicinal & Aromatic Plants.
24.	Use of Plastics in Agriculture.
25.	Development of Commercial Floriculture.
26.	Development of Mushroom.
27.	Integrated Development of Tropical, Arid Temperate Zone Fruits.
28.	Integrated Development Programme of Cashewnut.
29.	Development of Root & Tuber Crops.
30.	Development of Betelvine.
31.	Development of Vegetables.
32.	Integrated Development of Cocoa.
33.	Integrated Development of Spices.
34.	Fresh Water Fish Farms.

1	2
35.	Brackish Water Fish Farm.
36.	Development Agencies.
37.	Welfare of Fishermen.
38.	Fishing Harbour Facilities at Minor Ports
39.	Trg. & Extension (Fisheries)
40.	Coastal Marine Fisheries.
41.	Marine Fishing Regulation Act.
42.	Inland Fisheries Statistics
43.	Central Project Unit
44.	Inland Fish Marketing
45.	Investment in Debentures of LDBs.
46.	Non Overdue Cover Scheme.
47.	Special Scheme for SC/STs
48.	Failed Well Compensation Fund Scheme
49.	Assistance to Women's Cooperatives.
50.	Assistance to Weaker Section Cooperatives.
51.	Timely Reporting Scheme.
52.	Improvement of Crop Statistics.
53.	Establishment of Agency for Crop estimation survey on fruits, vegetables and minor crops/dignostic study.
54.	Livestock Census.
55.	Agricultural Census.

Direct Payment System

2144. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN : Will the Minister of FOOD AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Food Corporation of India has implemented direct payment system for its workers in all its godowns in Kerala;

(b) if so, the reasons for not implementing the same at Mavelikkara, Chalakkudy and West Hill in the State; and

(c) the time by which the direct payment system is likely to be introduced in all the godowns in the Kerala?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS (SHRI RAGHUVANS PRASAD SINGH) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) It is not possible to give any time frame. Change of mode of engagement of labour from contract labour system, which is permissible under the law, depends on a number of factors, like issuance of notification by the appropriate Govt., i.e. the Ministry of Labour, prohibiting employment of contract labour in the godowns/depots of FCI under the Contract Labour (Regulation & Abolition) Act, 1970. That Ministry has not yet notified all the godowns for this purpose.

[Translation]

Situation in North-East

2145. SHRI SUSHIL CHANDRA : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the then Prime Minister and other Ministers/ Officers had met the represantatives of some terrorist organisations of North-Eastern States in the recent past outside the country and held talks with them;

(b) if so, the names of such terrorist organisations with whom discussions were held;

(c) the date on which such discussions were held and the location thereof; and

(d) the outcome of such discussions held?